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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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FOR: IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS CAPABLE OF PREVENTING PSEUDO
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Enclosed are:

- ☒ 30 pages of specification, claims, abstract.
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ Priority Claimed.
- ☒ Certified copies of Japanese Patent Application Nos. 11-327923 and 11-343266
- ☒ 27 sheets of formal drawing.
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to MINOLTA CO., LTD.
and the assignment recordation fee.
- ☐ An associate power of attorney.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and reference.
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard
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	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	AMOUNT
Total Claims	16	-20	0	\$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	8	-3	5	\$80.00	\$400.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s)					\$0.00
Basic Fee					\$710.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$1,110.00
Less ½ for Small Entity					\$0.00
Assignment & Recording Fee					\$40.00
Total Fee					\$1,150.00



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